Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

23rd September 2018



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St Andrew's **Church W**ALKERVILLE

How to follow our Communion Service in the green Prayer Book

Page 119 - The service today commences on this page.

Page 120 - Lord have mercy

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Save The Dates – please note these upcoming parish events

Sunday 23rd September – 3pm Pet Blessing Service - TODAY Saturday 6th October – Magdalene Centre Dinner Sunday 2nd December – St. Andrew's Day Festival & Lunch Friday 7th December – 6.30pm It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas

Parish Prayer

God our Father, you have made us members of Christ and of his Church in this parish.

May our worship be the offering of our hearts and lives to you. Help us to reach out in welcome to newcomers and visitors, to encourage and care for each other in friendship and fellowship, and to grow in grace and in love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today's Services 8.00am Holy Communion 9.30am Sung Eucharist 3.00 pm Pet Blessing Service

Preacher: The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White

Celebrant: The Rev'd Sam Goodes

A special welcome to all who are worshipping with us for the first time or visiting us today. We especially welcome those visiting us from other areas. Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the 9.30am service.

Sentence of the Day

Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all.

Mark 9.35

Prayer of the Day

God and Father of all, you have taught us through your Son that the last shall be first, and have made a little child the measure of your kingdom: give us the wisdom from above, so that we may understand that in your sight the one who serves is the greatest of all. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Readings

1st Reading: Proverbs 31.10-31

OT p. 561

Contemporary readers may question this text knowing that ancient texts often allow men to idealize female virtue in terms that benefit men and harm women. This passage praises an extraordinarily hard-working woman, a "capable wife," and one wonders if it sets women up to fall short. Some interpreters think this is not a real person but Woman

Wisdom, the personification of Wisdom, and praises her value when she is asked to 'work' in the areas of the home, the fields or in commerce, which would explain her extraordinary powers. But what is particularly interesting is what this passage doesn't say. It refuses to derive this woman's worth from her husband, or her child-bearing capacity, or her appearance; a particularly contemporary idea.

Psalm: Psalm 1 (said)

APBA p. 224

This psalm opens the Book of Psalms and sets a theme common to the 150 psalms that follow: delight in God's law. It contrasts those who 'delight is in the law of the Lord' with those who engage in 'ungodly' behaviour. It is a wisdom psalm that fits well with the first reading, affirming our need to ponder daily the instruction of the Lord.

2nd Reading: James 3.1-12

NT p. 213

This passage is a piece of wisdom about how we are to use our speech. James uses the specific illustration of the tongue and what we say as a small example of how we are to shape every aspect of our lives to reflect our faith. The passage consists of a series of four metaphors for a careless tongue and how it may be controlled to everyone's benefit.

Gospel: Mark 9.30-37

NT p. 42

Jesus is heading south through Galilee, on his way to Jerusalem, trying to travel in secret, in contrast to the populism the disciples want for their Messiah. Jesus teaches them of his suffering and death and they just don't understand. To teach them about how the Kingdom of God works, he places a child in their midst. In contrast to those who have political status, or status because of their family or their wealth, Jesus puts a child in their midst, who has no status at all. Such are those who understand the nature of power in the Kingdom of God.

Music

Processional: Community of Christ (words p. 5)
Gradual: Can we by searching (words p. 5)

Offertory: Christ, be the Lord of all our days (words p. 6)

Communion: **160** Breathe on me, breath of God

Post Communion:119 Christ triumphant

Music Setting: Chris Chataway. Organist: Ian Gray

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Community of Christ (TiS 473)

- 1. Community of Christ,
 who make the Cross your own,
 live out your creed and risk
 your life
 for God alone:
 the God who wears your face,
 to whom all worlds belong,
 whose children are of every race
 and every song.
- 2. Community of Christ, look past the Church's door and see the refugee, the hungry, and the poor. Take hands with the oppressed, the jobless in your street, take towel and water, that you wash your neighbour's feet.

Shirley Erena Murray (b. 1931)

- 3. Community of Christ, through whom the word must sound cry out for justice and for peace the whole world round: disarm the powers that war and all that can destroy, turn bombs to bread, and tears of anguish into joy.
- 4. When menace melts away, so shall God's will be done, the climate of the world be peace and Christ its Sun; our currency be love and kindliness our law, our food and faith be shared as one for evermore.

Can we by searching (A&M 269)

- Can we by searching find out God or formulate his ways?
 Can numbers measure what he is or words contain his praise?
- 2. Although his being is too bright for human eyes to scan, his meaning lights our shadowed world through Christ, the Son of Man.
- 3. Our boastfulness is turned to shame, our profit counts as loss, when earthly values stand beside the manger and the cross.

4. We there may recognise his light, may kindle in its rays, find there the source of penitence, the starting point for praise.

Elizabeth J. Cosnett (b. 1936)

5. There God breaks in upon our search,makes birth and death his own:He speaks to us in human terms to make his glory known.

Christ be the Lord (A&M 607)

- 1. Christ be the Lord of all our days, the swiftly passing years:

 Lord of our unremembered birth, heirs to the brightness of the earth;
- Lord of our griefs and fears.
- 2. Christ be the source of all our deeds, the life our living shares; the fount which flows from worlds above to never-failing springs of love; the ground of all our prayers.
- 3. Christ be the goal of all our hopes the end to whom we come; guide of each pilgrim Christian soul which seeks, as compass seeks the pole, our many-mansioned home.
- 4. Christ be the vision of our lives, of all we think and are; to shine upon our spirit's sight as light of everlasting light, the bright and morning star.

Timothy Dudley-Smith (b. 1926)

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For your Prayers this week

The Nations and People of the Earth:

The peoples of the Philippines, Hong Kong and the South China coast, who have suffered in the passage of Typhoon Mangkhut. The people and children of Yemen, suffering in the civil war and the increasing risk of famine.

The Church and its Mission:

The Anglican Church of Tanzania, Archbishop Maimbo Mndolwa, his clergy and people.

The Parish of Warradale, Peter Brown, Rector, and Marian Giles, Assistant Priest.

The Philippine Independent Church, giving thanks for the work they do to further God's mission in the world.

At St Andrew's we pray for:

St Andrew's parishioners and friends, meeting through the week for worship and fellowship.

The Wardens, Ian Gray and Sally Zimmerman.

Ourselves and our Community:

The residents, staff and helpers of Walkerville Residential Care and their helpers.

Give thanks for all those who exemplify Jesus's servant leadership in our day.

.Special Prayer Request:

Meg Robertson, John O'Brien, Marianne Cannon, Judy Brancis, Mariela, Rhiannon Henry-Edwards.

The Departed

Thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith:

Sergius of Moscow, abbot and teacher (d. 1392) September 25

Lancelot Andrewes, bishop of Winchester (d. 1626) September 26

Vincent de Paul, priest and worker with the poor (d. 1660) Sept. 27

MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS September 29

Notices

At St Andrew's

- ❖ BUSH CHURCH AID MISSION BOXES: It is time again for counting mission boxes. Please hand them to Sandy, Rosalie or one of the Wardens by Sunday 23rd September at the very latest. Please do not leave your box at the back of the church. If you prefer to make a donation in lieu of a Mission Box, your offering will be most welcome. Sandy Facy BCA Mission Contact for St Andrew's
- ❖ MAGDALENE CENTRE DINNER: The organising sheet for this event on Saturday 6th October is now in the foyer of the Parish Centre. Please put your name against any of the empty spaces can you provide food? A cash donation? Can you help prepare on the night? Please help out in any way you can for this most worthwhile and rewarding endeavour.
- ❖ MID-WEEK EUCHARIST: An opportunity to join in community and fellowship with a new mid-week Eucharist. To be held regularly on the 4th Thursday of the month, at 11.30am, followed by a BYO lunch. Next meeting this Thursday September 27th. All welcome...
- ❖ NEWCOMERS AND VISITORS: If you would like to know more about St Andrew's, please fill out a yellow "Welcome Form" on the back table. If you give it to a Sidesperson or to the clergy, we shall be in touch with you very soon.
- *You are invited to join with the Adelaide ABM Auxiliary on Friday 5th October at 2pm in the Parish Centre, for an enthralling presentation of *Holy Jerusalem and Its Stories* by the Rev'd Michael and Mrs. Janine Whiting, who have wide experience in Jerusalem and who have many stories to tell of this ancient city. Following the presentation, Afternoon Tea will be served. Bring'n'Buy stall & Raffle Admission \$10. Bring your friends, fellow parishioners, neighbours, relatives for this interesting presentation and a *delicious* Afternoon Tea. All proceeds to ABM-A. Further details and bookings Elaine Edwards, jedwards@esc.net.au m. 0438 321 010

In the Diocese

❖ Choral Evensong: Parishioners are invited to attend the Choral Evensong in the Cathedral (Cynthia Poulton Hall) on Wednesday September 26th at 5.30 pm when prayers will be said for the Parish of Walkerville. All welcome...





This church is blessed with a fine ring of six bells, but they are in need of refurbishment and rehanging. Through a generous gift that is planned to happen. However, with that renewal there will be a vital need for more people to ring them.

Have you ever thought of learning to ring? Do you have children or grandchildren (over 12) who might be interested?

Change ringing is a fascinating and challenging mental and physical exercise, a great enhancement of and witness to the Church's worship and introduces you to the worldwide community of church bell ringers, including in four other towers in Adelaide.

If you or your friends or family would like to learn more and see ringing in action, the Adelaide Bell Ringers will be hosting an open days in St Peter's Cathedral bell tower and Ringing Training Centre from 12noon - 1pm on Sunday 23 September.

Please meet at noon in the Gallery of the Cathedral.

For those who would like to learn or to find out more there will be an opportunity to register for an intensive training course to be conducted in October at times to be negotiated, but commencing on Sunday 30 September. Meanwhile you may care to learn a little more about bell ringing at http://www.anzab.org.au/about.php

Diary Dates

Sunday 23 September Pentecost 18	9.30 am 11.15 am	Holy Communion Sung Eucharist People & Worship (Office) Pet Blessing Service (PC)
Tuesday 25 September	9.00 am	School Service 5-7 (Church)
Wednesday 26 September	11.00 am	HC Walkerville Res. Care
, -	2.00 pm	Faith & Fellowship (6 Ettrick Ave)
Thursday 27 September	9.00 am	School Service 3-4 (Church)
	11.30 am	Eucharist & Fellowship
		(Church & Parish Centre)
Friday 28 September	11.00 am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)
Sunday 30 September	8.00 am	Holy Communion
Pentecost 19	9.30 am	Sung Eucharist
	11.30 am	Holy Baptism:
		Kennedy Alexander (Church)
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Monday 1 October	PUBLIC HOLIDAY		
	No Morning Tea or Bible Study		
Wednesday 3 October	1.30 pm	Funeral: Helen Bruce	
		(Church & Parish Centre)	
Thursday 4 October	7.30 pm	Home Fellowship	
		(2/86 Lansdowne Tce)	
Friday 5 October	11.00 am	Tai Chi (Parish Centre)	
	2.00 pm	ABM Auxiliary Afternoon Tea	
Saturday 6 October	10.00 am	The Market (Car Park)	
	3.30pm	Magdalene Dinner (City)	
Sunday 7 October Pentecost 20	8.00 am 9.30 am	Holy Communion Sung Eucharist	

MEDITATION

"Let us love God, my brothers, let us love God. But let it be with the strength of our arms and the sweat of our brow."



St Vincent de Paul

Rosters

Rosters for today

Preacher: The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White

Celebrant: The Rev'd Sam Goodes

Readers: 8.00 am Ray Newell

9.30 am Lyn Dow

Prayer Leader: 9.30 am The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White

Server: 9.30 am John Beer

Lay Assistants: 8.00 am Liz Owen

9.30 am Libby Doepke, Sally Sandford-Morgan

Sidespersons: 8.00 am Ray Newell, Peter Wilksch

9.30 am Tony Holloway, Robert Dow

Rosters for next Sunday (Pentecost 19)

Preacher: The Rev'd Sam Goodes

Celebrant: The Rev'd Helen Gibson-White

Readers: 8.00 am Ray Newell

9.30 am Robert Dow

Prayer Leader: 9.30 am Ray Newell

Servers: 9.30 am Cameron & Melodie Dow

Lay Assistants: 8.00 am Liz Owen

9.30 am Cameron & Melodie Dow

Sidespersons: 8.00 am Volunteers

9.30 am Volunteers

Readings for next Sunday (Pentecost 19)

1st Reading: Esther 7.1-6,9-10; 9.20-22 OT p. 418

Psalm: Psalm 124 APBA p. 361

2nd Reading: James 5.12-20 NT p. 214

Gospel: Mark 9.38-50 NT p. 42

